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PATENT

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In re Application of TAKAGI

Application No.

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Group Art Unit:

For: METALLIC BELT AND PUSH BLOCK USED THEREFOR

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

Amendments to the specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.